



Educator/Social Worker, Community Integration

JCHAI – Supporting Independence. Building Community.

About JCHAI

JCHAI inspires and empowers individuals with developmental differences or disabilities to imagine and fulfill their life aspirations and be valued contributors in the community. We help individuals live life on their own terms by providing educational, vocational, social, and supported living services to our members.

JCHAI is an innovative organization that sees limitless potential and possibilities for both members and staff. Combining a unique blend of excellence, integrity, and empathy, JCHAI embraces a culture of belonging, respectful of differences and ensuring that every voice is part of the conversation. Working for JCHAI is more than just a job; it's an opportunity to be part of a family community that works together to grow personally and professionally.

Position Overview

Join JCHAI in making a meaningful impact! We are seeking a compassionate and motivated professional to support adults (18+) with intellectual disabilities and/or autism. You'll provide case management, life skills training, and community-based support to help individuals live more independently and fully engage in their communities.

What You'll Do

- Provide 1:1 support and case management (appointments, shopping, community outings)
- Teach independent living skills (organization, routines, home management)
- Complete assessments, support plans, and service documentation
- Provide supervision and guidance to ensure the safety and active participation of all members
- Plan and lead group programs such as cooking, arts, fitness, life skills workshops, and community outings
- Promote socialization, teamwork, and the development of friendships and interpersonal skills
- Collaborate with fellow staff on programs, facilitating intentional peer groups, and special events
- Model and encourage independence, problem-solving, and self-advocacy
- Maintain attendance records, incident reports, and other required documentation
- Communicate effectively with staff, members, and families as appropriate

Qualifications

- **Education:** Bachelor's degree required (Master's preferred) in Social Work, Psychology, Education, or related field
- **Experience:** 1+ year working with individuals with intellectual disabilities, autism, or related populations; 3+ years working in social services strongly preferred



- **Practical:** Strong interpersonal and organizational skills; ability to adapt activities to varied needs
- **Personal:** Creative, compassionate, and enthusiastic about independence, inclusion, and community engagement
- **Transportation:** Valid driver's license, reliable vehicle, and auto insurance; you must be willing to transport clients in your own car (mileage reimbursement is provided)

Schedule & Location

Part-time or full-time schedules are available, depending on location and specific needs. Flexible availability, including some evenings and weekends, is appreciated.

Our core programming is located in:

- BuxMont (Bucks/Montgomery Counties) & Northeast Philadelphia (Welsh Road)
- Bryn Mawr
- Doylestown

Work is performed in-home and in community settings. Our 1:1 services are provided across Greater Philadelphia and surrounding counties. Travel is regionally clustered to minimize driving.

Compensation & Benefits

Salary commensurate with experience.

Benefits for full-time roles include:

- Health, dental, and life insurance
- Disability coverage
- Paid time off
- 403(b) retirement plan
- Flexible, supportive work environment

To Apply

[Click here to fill out a JCHAI employment application.](#)

Equal Opportunity Employer

JCHAI is proud to be an Equal Opportunity Employer. We value a diverse and inclusive workplace and comply with all applicable federal, state, and local employment laws.